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HALE K. DARLING, Local Editor. Miss Hattie Chandler of Barre is visit-ing friends in town.

H. E. Pitkin and daughter of Barre were in town over Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Lane visited friends in Montpelier the first of this week.

Dr. S. N. Goss and W. S. Goss visited relatives at Burlington last week.

Thomas H. Cave of Barre, the veteran printer, was in town last week Thursday.

Herbert F. Kennedy is home from Manchester, N. H., for a stay of several weeks.

SON.

C. S. Emery and wife are at Northfield this week on business connected with ithe Charlotte Edson estate.

Col. E. T. Monahan of Underhill, past commander of Vermont division, Sons of Veterans, was the guest of Col. H. O. Bixby over Sunday.

the Wallace place on the East Hill. Accompanying Mr. Bell are Fred A. Whitney, E. I. Thompson, Charles Shapley, R. B. Andrew and E. F. Legate, all of Leominster.

Leominster.

On complaint of Grand Juror E.O.Tracy Arthur R. Proctor was arrested Monday evening, charged with the crime of adultery. A hearing was had before Justice W. S. Hatch Tuesday, State's Attorney Hyde attending. Proctor was bound over to appear before the grand jury and his ball was fixed at \$700, in default of which he was committed to jail.

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Chelsea Home News.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mills returned to their home in Alton, Ill., last week. Alonzo Noyes is taking a two weeks' trip to Boston, Providence and Worcester.

A good attendance and fine time are re-ported at the promenade concert in town hall Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles C. Roberts advertises to sell her household goods on the North common at 1 p. m. Saturday.

Miss Nellie Cooley finished work in the postoffice Saturday and has returned to the employ of Mrs. E. F. Peters.

Mrs. R. R. Fulton and son of East Corinth, who have been at J. K. Darling's for several weeks, returned home Monday.

Among those attending the soldiers' reunion at Barre last week were Moses M. Dunham, James Sanford, J. H. Griffin and George Davis.

As the result of the investigation of af-fairs at Gustave W. Cleveland's, the se-lectmen have asked for the appointment of a guardian over his children.

Miss Gertrude Brownell has finished working at the Orange County Hotel and has returned to her home in South Royal-ton. Miss Daisy Roife of Tunbridge takes

Bidney M. Mills of Manchester, N. H., is in town this week, visiting relatives. He has accepted a position in Mead's drug store in Hanover, N. H., and will commence his duties there at once.

The sudden disappearance of E. D. Biackwell of Montpelier is a source of much surprise and regret among his many acquaintances here. Mr. Blackwell has relatives in town and spent several weeks here this summer.

here this summer.

We understand that "bank holidays" have been in existence in England for many years and we judge that they have been imported into this country from the fact that the National Bank of Orange County was closed last week Thursday, and closed so tightly that even the directors were unable to get in.

H. J. Bell of Leominster, Mass., arrived Saturday night with his annual hunting party for a stay of two weeks. The party will occupy the same quarters as last year, Mrs.

he was committed to jail.

The tax bill for 1896 has been placed in the hands of the town treasurer for collection. The total amount of taxes raised is \$7,617.85, divided as follows: Town, \$4,461.99; highway, \$896.18; school, \$2,240.58. The following pay taxes amounting to more than \$50: J. B. Bacon, \$159.70; E. D. Barnes, \$126.92; J. M. Comstock, \$192.35; J. A. B. Corwin, \$82.76; Hyde Cabot, \$52.39; C. A. Densmore, \$80.84; C. P. Dickinson, \$111.79; David Emery, \$52.34; Joseph French, \$73.02; S. N. Goss, 551.74; W. H. Gilleland, \$125.80; W. H. H. Hall, \$58.06; W. A. Hood and wife, \$50.83; George E. Kimball, \$80.32; N. G. Moore, \$7.21; Mary J. F. Peters, \$54.23; A. H. Powers, \$256.27; Sarah C. Patterson, \$52.70; Alvah Robinson, \$56.94; H. E. Roberts, \$69.36; Laura A. Stow, \$73.55; Willis Scales, \$59.22; Mary Tracy, \$65.88; E. O. Tracy, \$65.25.

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C. P. Abbott and family visited relatives in Woodstock last week.

Miss Nellie Bixby has gone to North-field for a few days' visit.

W. H. Luce is very sick with typhoid fever. Dr. Godfrey attends him. Fred A. Ordway of Aberdeen, N. C., is visiting triends and relatives in this vi-cinity.

Geo. E. Hatch, the accommodating clerk at the Orange County Hotel, is taking a well-earned vacation.

Mrs. Greene of Nashus, N. H., accom-panied by her daughter, is visiting her nother, Mrs. Wm. Roberts.

It is now expected that the supplement to the CHEVERA HERALD, containing the Bar Centennial addresses, will be issued the first week in October.

Braintree.

Mrs. Cynthia Hubbard is visiting friends in Pethville.

Miss S. Bryant of New York was in town last week.

P. J. Blanchard and wife visited in Bur-lington last week.

Edna Norman has returned from Plain-field, where she has been at work.

Mrs. Jane Clough is visiting friends in town, the guest of Mrs. Isaac Treat. Several from town attended the fair at Northfield last week and pronounced it

Mrs. Derby of Granville is spending some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Hatch.

Charles Flint, wife and daughter St. Albans were in town for a few last week, returning home Monday. W. D. Fitts, wife and daughter from Roxbury have been spending the week visiting among old friends and neigh-

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Powers and their daughter, Luella, accompanied by Mrs. J. C. McIntire, are visiting in Bristol and Starksboro.

Among those who went on the excursion to Montreal last week were C. A. Webster and wife, J. B. Hutchinson and wife and P. J. Bianchard.

The remains of Mrs. Laving Adams of Royalton were brought to town last week for burial, Mrs. Adams having been a former resident of this town.

former resident of this town.

The members of Wide Awake Lodge, I. O. Gr. T., are requested to be present at the next meeting and prepare for the Victory Union, which is to meet with this lodge, Saturday, Oct. 10th.

There was a reunion of the Flint family at the residence of Daniel Flint last week. Among those from away were the families of C. F. Flint of St. Albans, S. M. Flint of Burlington and Rev. I. A. Flint of Maine and others from Randolph and Braintree.

Braintree.

Hon. E. L. Browne of Waupaca, Wisconsin, made a very pleasant call on W. B. Hibbard last Friday. Mr. Browne is a lawyer of more than ordinary ability and tried cases before Mr. Hibbard as court more or less for 20 years. Both living in the same town in Wisconsin, they had not met before in sixteen years.

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While John Peavey and wife were visiting at E. F. Martin's by special invitation last Monday evening, their neighbors and friends to the number of 35 or 40 invaded their home. Word was soon aent to Mr. and Mrs. Peavey, who upon their arrival at home were reminded by the happy congratulations that they received that they had reached the tenth milestone of their married life. A very pleasant social time was enjoyed by all present.

I have a few bbls. of fine Fameuse or anow apples at \$1.25 per bbl. Will deliver them if more than one barrel is wanted. P. E. Grow.

Frank White attended the fair at Mont-real last week.

Look elsewhere for particulars of the New York exoursion. Walter Gifford of So. Royalton visited relatives here Sunday.

Dana Dearing shot four partridges be-fore breakfast Sept. 16.

Rev. S. A. Parker presched at the Universalist church last Sunday.

Rev. Miss Selman has closed her work with the Universalist society. Mrs. Cynthia Kibbee of Brookfield has been a guest at Lewis Kibbee's of late.

Mrs. Brigham is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Gilbert Blaisdell. Mrs. A. G. Osgood has returned from Barlington somewhat improved in health. Leslie McDonald succeeded in getting a prize in a bicycle race at Manchester last

Several herds of cattle in this vicinity were tested last week and were reported

Mrs. R. S. Adams is spending a few weeks with her sisters, Mrs. Sprague and Mrs. Luce.

Miss Gertrude Hall returns Saturday from Norwood, R. I., after an absence of eight weeks.

Edward Cady, who has been staying with his aunt, Jane Miles, went to Olcott Falls Monday.

Mrs. John Morrill and two children of Tunbridge visited her sister, Mrs. Will Morrill, recently.

Bend to E. A. Thomas, Randolph, for samples of dress goods.

Millinery opening at Miss Shaw's, So. Royalton, Tuesday, the 29th. All are cordially invited.

A large addition to the hotel stables is being built.

Francis Tuttle of Fitchburgh, Mass., is visitor in town.

Milton Ballou is attending the races at Washington this week.

Miss Ina Emery of Washington, D. C., is a visitor at L. D. Moxley's.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Kibby of South Royalton were visitors in town Sunday. The Leonard Emery place was deeded to W. Harriman Monday and he will move

Miss A. E. Duncan of Boston, who has been visiting her brother, Thos. F. Dun-can, has returned to Boston.

J. E. Dowd of Burlington and John Plummer of Brattleboro were recent guests of C. H. Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Brigham of St. Johnsbury have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cushman the past week.

A union meeting of the C. E. societies of this town will be held at the Baptist church this (Thursday) evening.

The 22nd annual World's fair will be held here next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and all the world will be there. A colt belonging to Lyman Jones and running in F. A. Tucker's hill pasture was killed by lightning during the recent thunderstorm.

A. N. King & Sons' counting room is to be connected with the telephone exchange this week and an instrument will be put in the secretary's office at the fair ground.

Horace F. Woodard of Campello, Mase., is an expected guest at A. P. Woodard's. He knows it is impossible to be very good and not attend the World's fair, hence he cometh.

Charles W. Smith, who has spent the past three weeks with his brother, Emerson H. Smith, in Fargo, No. Dakota, returned Monday. He appears to think Vermont preferable to Dakota.

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Mrs. G. W. Flanders reports that her hand is very much better.

G. E. Wood is at A. J. Wills with the expectation of spending the winter.

Miss Bertha Shepard is at home from Exeter, N. H., where ishe has been at

Mrs. A. J. Wills and Rufus Chandler have been suffering from very severe have colds.

There will be a service at the M. E. church Sunday evenings at 7:30. The pastor, Rev. C. E. Flint, is expected to be present and all are cordially invited. The Epworth League service after church will be omitted and a short prayer meeting will be held in the vestry at 10:30.

North Tunbridge.

See notice elsewhere about the excursion to New York Sept. 29th for only \$5. C. A. Wight sells the soap that "goes further and doesn't rot clothes"—Harm-

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A Mysterious Disappearance.

Elisabeth Moody, wife of E. A. Moody of Revere, Mass., who, with her son Frederick, aged four, disappeared Sept. 2d from the home of her fether, John K. Clough, in Vershire, is still missing. The woman and boy were traced to Hanover, N. H., and her trunk to Concord. Here the clew ends. There is not the slightest hint of domestic trouble, and it is firmly believed that when Mrs. Moody left Vermont at the end of her vacation she intended to return to her/home in Revere. Detective Sullivan, who is werkington the case, suggests that hypnotism is at the bottom of it, and he professes to know of a man who followed Mrs. Moody to Vermont and there induced her to go with him. The favorite theory with her friends is that she has suddenly become afflicted mentally and is living quitally somewhere. She had but \$30 when ane left Hevere but had probably spent at least half of it before her disappearance. Her husband and relatives do not believe she has committed suicide but are greatly worried and fear for her safety and that of the child. She is 27 years old, 5 feet 2 inches tail and weighs 122 pounds. Her hair is brown, her eyes blue and two of her upper front teeth are slightly broken. She is spoken of as pleasant featured. Everta Moody, her husband, cannot believe she has wiftfully left him but is convinced that she has met with some mishap or is forcibly detained somewhere. In her married life of nearly six years there has never been an indication of other than a wifely and motherly disposition, and none of the family have the elightest reason to think of any wrong motive in her disappearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Brigham and their neph ew visited at Charles Beiknap's last week The lecture that was to have been given at the grange hall Saturday evening was postponed on account of the weather.

W. F. Davis is putting in a silo. G. W. Bliss is in Montpeller for a few

O. O. Adams was in Woodstock a day

L. Wheelock and wife visited in Royal-ton last week. D. Alkens and wife are at his father's for a short time.

Barnard turned out en masse to attend Woodstock fair.

Franklin White and wife visited in Randolph last week.

Dr. Wilson and wife of Boston are staying at his brother's.

Miss Lottle Smith is at home from Rutland for a short time.

Miss Angela French is in Northfield, with her uncle, Norman.

F. L. Townsend spent a day in White River Junction last week. Rev. Mr. Fuller of Pittsfield spoke at the M. E. church Sunday.

The next Universalist sociable will be held next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Eastman will lead the next Y. P. C. U. Subject, "What is Religion?"

Samuel Cady recently shot an eagle that measured over five feet from tip to tip of

wings.

Solon D. Newton, the veteran huckster, is making his 48th annual tour of the fairs. Can anyone beat his record? About 16 people from here took in the excursion to Montreal and speak well of the treatment received from the Cana-

One of the old-time families put up at the hotel last week, there being eight children, the oldest of whom was eight years old. They were all very bright, pretty children.

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Mrs. Wm. Gillette recently received a fine large portrait of her brother, Prof. F. G. Bennett, whose death at Hackensville, N. J., was noticed in this paper a few weeks since.

Great Values in New

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